MEDITATIONS ON THE TRUE CHRISTIAN LIFE

...."This book of the law [the Word of God] shall not depart from [always be in] your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful [take heed] to do according to all that is written in it; for THEN you will make your way prosperous, and THEN you will have success".... Joshua 1:8 NASB

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THE DISEASE PROBLEM

[part 2 of 4]

* We have come to believe that it is just as wrong for a believer to bear his sickness when Jesus bore it, as it is for him to bear his sins when Christ bore them.

We have no right to live in sin and to bear those hateful habits that make life a curse, because Christ bore them.

It was wrong for Him to bear them if we are going to bear them too.

It is wrong for us to have sickness and disease in our bodies when God laid those diseases on Jesus.

He became sick with our diseases, that we might be healed.

He knew no sickness until He was made sick with our diseases.

The object of His sin-bearing was to make Righteous the ones who believe on Him.

The object of disease-bearing was to make well the ones who believe in Him as the disease-bearer.

His sin-bearing made Righteousness sure to the New Creation. His diseasebearing makes healing sure to the New Creation.

He took our sins and made us Righteous. He took our diseases, and made us well. He took our infirmities and gave us His strength. He exchanged His strength

for our weakness, His success for our failings.